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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated December 17, 2001, of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 1, 4 and 11.

The items checked below are appropriate:

- Response to Office Action dated December 17, 2001
- Fees enclosed: \$320.00 for the Notice of Appeal  
\$400.00 for the Two Month Extension of Time
- Petition for a Two Month Extension of Time

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees required by this paper or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-2775. (This paper is being submitted in triplicate.)

Signature (Rule 191(b))

Respectfully submitted,

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